

Amendments to the Specification

Please add the following paragraph to the beginning of the Specification:

This application is a continuation of the "parent" PCT International Patent Application Number PCT/EP02/05431, entitled "Electromechanical Brake With Zero Backlash Actuation," filed on May 16, 2002, which designates the United States, and which claims priority to German Application Number DE 101 24 754.0, filed on May 21, 2001.